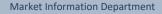
Title: EU Deadweight Cattle Prices - Heifers R3 Equivalent (€ Cents) week 19/2020

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Position last Mth	Position this Mth	Country	Price last Mth (w/e 12.04.20)		Change on Mth (cents)
2	1	Sweden	398.0	411.5	+13.5
1	2	Italy	401.2	391.7	-9.5
4	3	France	389.0	387.0	-2.0
3	4	Luxembourg	389.2	384.6	-4.6
7	5	Northern Ireland	367.9	378.3	+10.4
6	6	Great Britain	378.8	375.5	-3.3
5	7	Portugal	379.2	368.2	-11.0
8	8	Spain	362.2	355.2	-7.0
9	9	Ireland	350.0	350.9	+0.9
10	10	Denmark	322.5	318.6	-3.9
14	11	Austria	308.7	308.2	-0.5
12	12	Belgium	310.0	308.0	-2.0
13	13	Slovenia	308.8	303.4	-5.4
11	14	Germany	316.6	302.4	-14.2
16	15	Romania	271.1	290.1	+18.9
15	16	Poland	283.1	283.6	+0.5
19	17	Netherlands	214.0	267.0	+53.0
17	18	Czech Republic	251.6	235.4	-16.2
18	19	Lithuania	219.7	231.7	+12.0
		EU Average	353.1	348.8	-4.3
		Euro (€1=)	87.9	87.4	-0.4

Key trends



In the w/e 10/05/20 the average R3 heifer price in the EU was 348.8c/kg, a decrease of 4.3c/kg from 353.1c/kg in the w/e 12/04/20.



NI moved up to fifth place in the EU league table with the equivalent price of 378.3c/kg. This was a 10.4c/kg increase from the 367.9c/kg paid during the w/e 12/04/20. The differential between the R3 heifer price in NI and the EU average widened from 14.8c/kg to 29.5c/kg in the w/e 10/05/20.



GB retained sixth position on the league table with an equivalent R3 heifer price of 375.5c/kg, a 3.3c/kg decrease from the 378.8c/kg paid in the w/e 12/04/20. The differential between GB and the EU average slightly widened from 25.7c/kg to 26.7c/kg in the w/e 10/05/20.



In ROI the R3 heifer price was 350.9c/kg in the w/e 10/05/20, an increase of 0.9c/kg from the w/e 12/04/20. This placed it in ninth position in the league table, 2.1c/kg above the EU average price and 27.4c/kg lower than the same price in NI.



The euro decreased to €1=87.4p in the w/e 10/05/20.